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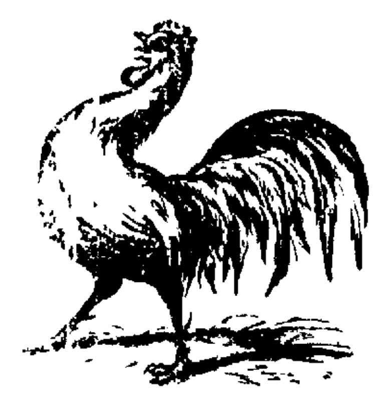

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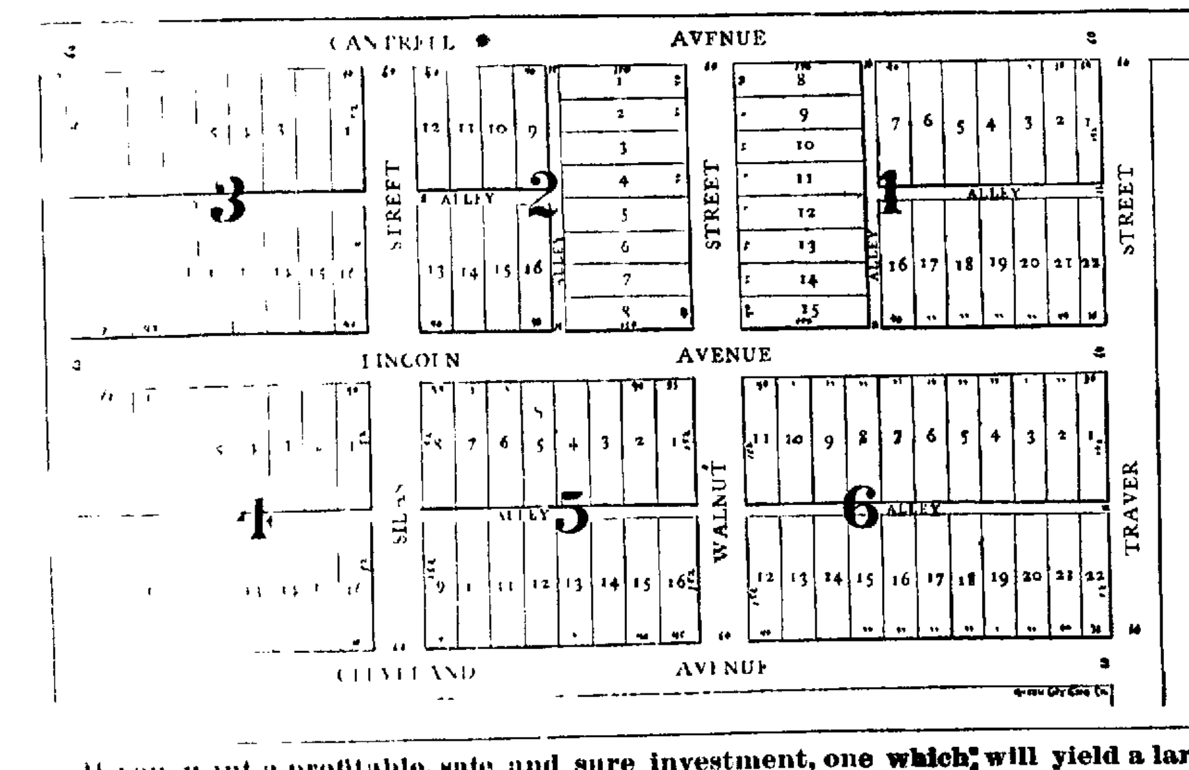

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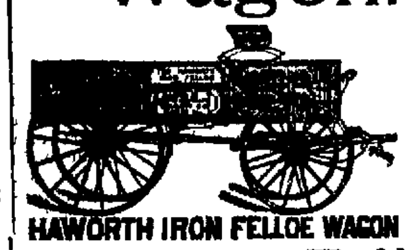

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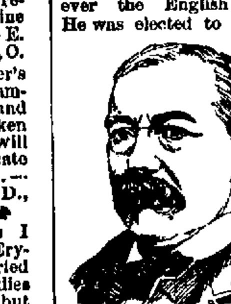
THREE BALTIMOREANS.

Professor F. N. Crouch, Mrs. Robert Garrett and James Hodges

[Special Correspondence]

BALTIMORE, July 18—The London Society of Arts Letters and Sciences has just conferred an honor upon Professor F Nicholls Crouch, author of "Kathleen Mavourneen," a song known wherever the English language is spoken He was elected to membership, and his acceptance was urged by letters from royal personages In answering the notification he sent original manuscripts of thirty one of his musical works.



PROFESSOR F N CROUCH

He is a wonderful old man Although 87 years old this month, he is living happily and vigorously in Baltimore, and his mind is as active as it ever was A year or so ago his finances were rather unfavorable, but a rich admirer of his "Kathleen Mavourneen" came all the way from New Orleans and settled upon him a comfortable annuity as a token of regard and appreciation The old professor is the father of twenty-seven children, nearly all of whom are living Many of his sons and daughters are grandfathers and grandmothers He laughingly observes that he does not know how many great grandchildren he has

Professor Crouch has had a stormy and interesting career He was born in London His family was in very humble circumstances, and the boy had to encounter the disfavor of a stepmother His musical gifts were put to use very early When only 8 years of age he was earning $5 a week by playing the violoncello at the Coburg theatre He got tired of this and ran off with a traveling theatrical company and after a variety of experiences, which nearly drowned him in a canal and took him to Edinburgh when the typhus fever was raging, he returned to London and began life anew His rise was rapid He played in concert music with such masters as Verdi and Bellini He became a student at the Royal academy, and he was in frequent attendance at Buckingham palace and Windsor castle On the death of George IV he was commanded to attend the coronation of William IV and Queen Adelaide He was in Queen Adelaide's private band and when parliament, in a fit of reform, cut off the appropriations for this band he again became a wanderer It was while out of employment and out of money because of the dishonesty of his business partners that he was wandering along the banks of the Thames He was in a poetical mood, and as the lines came from his mind they wedded themselves to music The result was "Kathleen Mavourneen" Upon its publication he became famous and prosperous By royal command he attended the coronation of Queen Victoria He made a profitable contract with a publishing house and was appointed musical critic of The Metropolitan Magazine of which Capt Marryatt was then editor

He came to America with Maretzek in 1849 and he has remained here ever since He taught music in Portland Me, and in Richmond Va and in other cities He fought in the late war on the Confederate side After the war he settled in South Carolina and married a southern comrade's child Several years ago he came to Baltimore His present wife is his fourth He is writing his reminiscences for publication, and it was a recent contribution to The London Folio that led to his election by the London society He generally arises at 5 a. m and spends most of the day with his friends

MRS ROBERT GARRETT

The best known southern lady in the exclusive circles of both hemispheres is Mrs Robert Garrett, wife of the millionaire president of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad She has all the qualities of a leader in society—aristocratic birth, a bright mind, an excellent education, wealth without limit and a generous hospitality She is gracious, dignified and handsome Before her marriage she was Miss Frick, and her family is one of the oldest and most eminent in the state of Maryland The Garrett mansion in Baltimore is the finest in the state, and it has been the scene of several great social affairs Mr and Mrs Garrett have also a beautiful summer residence near Baltimore a cottage at Deer Park, and they pay frequent visits to northern capitals of society and position. They make a trip every year to Europe and move in the exclusive circles of London and Paris. The portrait accompanying this is a sketch of Cabinel's picture, painted recently in Paris

No man in this country has made more speeches since the fall of 1885 than the Hon James Hodges In November of that year Mr Hodges became mayor of Baltimore and since he has occupied the executive chair of the Monumental City he has exhibited a scope of oratory that has been an unending surprise to the people of that city He has delivered speeches on almost every subject and every industry When the brewers held their convention in Baltimore recently the mayor welcomed them with an address that included a history of beer and all the ramifications of that beverage When Cardinal Gibbons returned home, the mayor met him at the railroad station and delivered a prepared speech of greeting At school commencements soldiers encampments, labor meetings, picnics and all public occasions, the mayor has been on hand with his speech He has been more voluminous with his address than Mayor Hewitt, of New York, has with his letters His oratory is picturesque, dignified and it abounds with the first person singular pronoun

JAMES HODGES

Mayor Hodges is a self made man He entered the dry goods trade and made a fortune He still retains his business connections He is 65 years old. In 1878 he was a United States commissioner to the Paris exposition, and while in France he delivered a number of addresses upon political and commercial questions He has always been more or less prominent in Maryland politics, and his name is mentioned as that of a probable candidate for the governorship of Maryland this fall During the past month he has been unusually busy making speeches in Baltimore

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Black Swiss Silks at 59c per yard
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20-Inch American Gros Grain Silk at 89c, regular value of this number, $1 10
22-Inch, Satin Finish Black Gros Grain American Silk, at 98c per yard, regular price, $1 25 per yard
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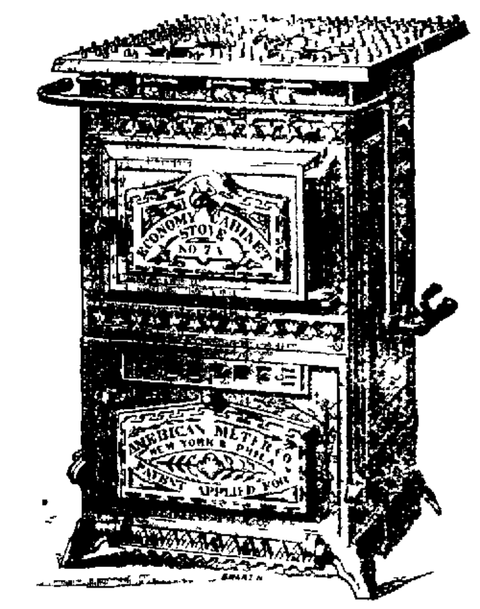

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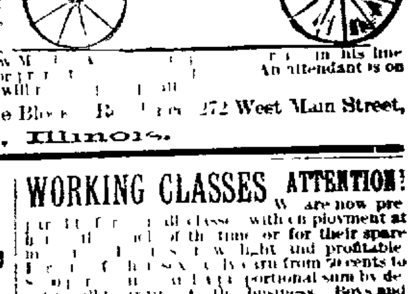

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THURSDAY EVE., JULY 21, 1887.

JEFF DAVIS has just admitted that all the time he was President of the Confederacy he suspected that every man he saw lurking about was an assassin seeking a chance to kill him. He apparently did not enjoy life during the rebellion any better than he has since.

HON. CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW, of New York, is suspected of harboring a presidential bee in his hat. He is a first-class man, and if a dozen other first-class Republicans were out of the way his chances for the nomination might not be bad.

THE question is often asked as to what Governor Oglesby will do if the sentence of hanging against the Anarchists shall be affirmed. He will have the say, for his term will not expire till January 1, 1889, and whether they shall be hanged or not will have to be settled before that time.

THE editor of an English society paper confesses that he likes American women much better than English women, but writes down the former constantly in his paper because the latter, who read his paper, are jealous of the Americans and like to have them attacked. The bad British women!

THE scattering elections in England to fill vacancies in the House of Commons show Liberal gains and Tory losses in every case. Where members are not actually gained, the vote shows a great change against the Tories. The Liberals are greatly encouraged, and it is declared that the Tory Ministry may not last the month out. Lord Salisbury appears to have gained nothing by his surrender on the land bill.

Unprofitable for Ticket-Buyers.

The result of the July monthly drawing of the Louisiana lottery is officially published in a Kentucky newspaper. It appears that $535,000 was to be distributed in the various prizes. But the receipts from 100,000 tickets at $10 each amounted to $1,000,000. This leaves the handsome sum of $465,000 to the lottery workers for their time, trouble and expenses.

That is to say the gullible public pay $1,000,000 to the Beauregard lottery for the privilege of getting a little bit more than half that amount back. It is mighty unprofitable business for the gullible public and an exceedingly rich picking for the lottery managers. When will the gullible ticket-buyer see that it is a poor investment which gives back regularly one half that is put into it?

EX-TREASURER JONES kept his accounts as straight as his Republican predecessors did, which is the highest praise possible to be given on the score of honesty. Although the $95,500,000 under his charge while Treasurer is nearly all counted, not a cent appears to be missing. The count when the Republicans went out revealed a shortage of 2c, but these coins were subsequently found in the treasury vault all safe.

Persons and Things.

Secretary Whitney is reported to have made $75,000 out of Washington suburban real estate. And it wasn't coal oil land, either.

Phil Armour is said to have bought stocks largely in New York last week. Mr. Armour is a "bull" in practice as well as in precept.

W. K. Vanderbilt has leased Lord Lovatt's country seat in England for two months at $3,000 a month. This is only a little episode in the yachting trip around the world.

Eight little girls of Warwick, N. Y., have sent $142.28 to the New York *Tribune's* "Fresh Air Fund" for poor children, the proceeds of a fair held by them. Those little girls will make grand women some day.

A physician who lives near the sea corroborates the popular superstition about people dying with the outgoing tide. He says that during the past five years he has noted the hour and minute of death of ninety-three patients, and every one of them went out with the tide except four, who died by accident.

The Longshoremen Want Their Old Wages Restored.

NEW YORK, July 21.—The Union longshoremen are ... and have given ... rate of wages ... and work done on Sunday ... Previous to the ... of winter, when the ... out of sympathy with the coal ... and also to help out the ... of the Old Dominion Steamship Company, most of them were getting ... forty cents an hour for day work and sixty cents for night ... but when the great strike was lost and they applied for work on the piers they found that the steamship companies were paying the new hands only fifty ... cents for night work, and they were told that they could not get any more. The companies also refused ... the new hands, and ... only to those old hands ... vacancies could be found. Such ... accepted the ... and gradually the companies discharged ... new hands who were taken ... the strike, and put old men in their places because they could get more work out of them in a given time. In ... of ... all, or nearly all, of the old hands were at work again, and they decided to make another effort to get their old rates. Tuesday their officers published a notice to ship owners, stevedores and captains demanding sixty cents per hour for night work and work on legal holidays.

Terrific Explosion of a Threshing Machine Boiler.

NEWARK, Del., July 21.—The boiler of a threshing machine exploded yesterday afternoon on the farm of Edward Stroud, living about three miles from here, and killed Stroud himself and a fourteen-year-old colored boy instantly, and badly scalded two other men. The force of the explosion sent the engine forward fully one hundred feet, turning over and over in its course until all the steam had escaped. A horse which stood in its path was also killed. Mrs. Stroud and six children survive the deceased husband and father.

Wholesale Slaughter of the Innocents.

MONCTON, N. B., July 21.—An unmarried woman named Ross, mother of three children, all of whom are now dead, has been arrested at Cap ... charged with infanticide. She forced a spoon down the throat of her child, and when an attempt was made to extricate it it broke one part remaining in the child's throat. The infant died after suffering terrible agony. It is now suspected that the woman made away with her other two children, who died a short time ago.

Dr. McGlynn's Late Parishioners Indignant.

NEW YORK, July 21.—Dr. McGlynn's late parishioners of St. Stephen's Church are indignant over the reported intention of the new management to turn the orphan home founded by him into a parochial school. They think the home is doing a great deal of good, and they share Dr. McGlynn's satisfaction with the public school system.

BY TELEGRAPH.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Inter-State Commerce Commission Producing Fruits of Its Labors

A Batch of Decisions on Issues Joined and Argued Before that Body.

An Inexcusable Defect in the Construction of the United States Steamer Atlanta, Etc.

Dismissed By the Commission.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—The chairman of the Inter-State Commerce Commission yesterday afternoon filed the decisions of the commission in the following cases: The Chicago & Alton against the Pennsylvania, and the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific against the New York Central & Hudson River. These are known as the commission cases and are dismissed. Opinion by Mr. Commissioner Schoonmaker. Mr. Commissioner Morrison files a dissenting opinion.

F D Harding, complainant, against the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railroad Company. This was a complaint of unreasonable and unjust rates. The case is dismissed for insufficient evidence, but without prejudice. Opinion by Commissioner Bragg.

M. A. Fulton, complainant, against the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railroad Company. This was also a complaint of unreasonable rates, and it is likewise dismissed without prejudice. Opinion by Commissioner Bragg.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—The opinion in the commission cases prepared by Commissioner Schoomaker is a very long one. It recites the facts found by the commission. The opinion shows that several years prior to the passage of the new law, all the railroad companies of the country, including complainants and defendants, paid commissions varying in amounts from two dollars to five dollars a ticket, to the ticket agents of other companies by whom the through tickets were sold. About a month before the new law went into effect, the defendant companies sent circulars to their connecting lines proposing to abolish the commission business entirely, by prohibiting the payment of commissions by other companies to its agents. The complainant companies received these circulars, and refused to enter into the agreement, claiming the right to pay commissions to the agents of defendant companies upon their sale of through tickets. The defendant companies then refused to sell through tickets over complainants' roads from Chicago and St. Louis to Kansas City. In deciding to dismiss the complaint the Commission says:

"The statue does not divest a railroad company of the exclusive right to control its own affairs, to employ its own agents, to regulate their duties, and to pay them such compensation as it may deem proper. The right of ownership of railroad property, with the power of control over employes and management of the property, is as absolute under the act as before its passage. The regulation of commerce between the States, which is all that the act contemplates, does not involve community of property, or joint control of subordinates among the several companies that honor through tickets. The corporate powers of every company for all administrative and governing purposes within its prescribed sphere, remain unimpaired. With the legitimate exercise of those powers, another company has no concern and no right to intermeddle. For the proper government of their own subordinates the defendant companies have forbidden their agents to receive commissions from other companies and directed them not to sell tickets over roads of companies that refuse to recognize this corporate authority, but insist on subsidizing the agents. In these directions the defendants have not transcended their reasonable rights. One person or corporation has no right to interfere with the employes of another, and the statutes do not disturb this old and sound principle."

Mr. Morrison, in his dissenting opinion, says:

"In any view of the case it seems to me that the defendants must sell through tickets to those who want them over the Chicago & Alton road, as it does over the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, and I dissent from the views of my associates for the reason that this question is presented both as a question of law and of railroad ethics or morals. I would not willingly delay reform in railroad administration, nor hinder the defendants in any well-meant effort to reform itself, which is the measure of its present effort, for it only exacts from the companies with connecting lines that they shall discontinue the offer of commissions to its own, while they offer them to the agents of all other companies. The payment of commissions may be subject to such abuse as to demand discontinuance; but until declared illegal they should not be made to excuse common carriers from the performance of obligations to the public."

The Accident on Board the Atlanta.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—Captain Bunce, commander of the United States steamer Atlanta, has sent a report to the Navy Department in which he speaks of an accident which occurred on board the vessel in Gardiner's bay while practicing with the new guns. The clips and clip circles did not hold the guns satisfactorily with a maximum charge, calculated to give projectiles two thousand feet velocity. The same was true of the six-inch guns.

An Extension of Time.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—Secretary Whitney yesterday sent out circular letters to the steel manufacturers of the United States, notifying them that the department has decided to postpone until September 20 the opening of proposals for the furnishing of steel cast guns for the navy. This action is taken in order to give more time to domestic manufacturers to consider the matter.

The Excitement Over the Capture of the Green Brothers.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., July 21.—The excitement over the capture of the Green brothers remains unabated. An organization of three hundred men has been perfected in the settlement, and several hundred citizens gathered Tuesday night and hanged Bill and Amer Green in effigy, amid the wildest excitement. Mr. Mabitt has had an interview with Amer Green, the murderer of his daughter. Green declined to give him the slightest satisfaction as to the terrible and mysterious ending of his daughter's life, saying that all would be made plain at the proper time, evidently intending to impress upon the father that his daughter was still alive.

EVERY person is interested in their own affairs, and if this meets the eye of any one who is suffering from the effects of a torpid liver, we will admit that he is interested in getting well. Get a bottle of Prickly Ash Bitters, use it as directed, and you will always be glad you read this item. 8

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FEATHER-WEIGHT FISTICUFFS.

A Rattling Mill Varied by a Scrap Between the Seconds.

NEW YORK, July 21.—A skin-tight glove fight between young Frazier, champion feather-weight of New Jersey, and Eddy Graham, of New York City, who has been unknown in the sporting world until now, was fought last night in a sporting resort of New York for a purse of $500. It was a rattling fight of twenty rounds, and the New Yorker fought the champion to a finish. Sixty well-known sporting men paid five dollars each to see the contest. Frazier is twenty-three years old, is five feet seven inches tall and weighs one hundred and twenty pounds. Graham is nineteen years old, his weight one hundred and twenty pounds and he is five feet six and a half inches tall. Frazier's second was Joe Whistler, and Graham's second, George McArthur, his trainer and the middle-weight champion of Montreal.

The contest between the principals was diversified in the seventh round by a smart scrap between the seconds, in which the Montreal middle-weight punched Whistler's nose, and was prevented from using him up only by the interference of the referee.

Frazier and Graham sparred cautiously for an opening for the first two rounds, and in the third round Graham led with his left, catching Frazier on the mouth and drawing first blood, which was allowed. The round ended with betting in favor of the New York man.

For the next four rounds Graham went for Frazier's ribs and Frazier pounded Graham's head.

In the seventh round Frazier got in his first clean blow, catching Graham on the point of the jaw with his right and knocking him down. Whistler, Frazier's second, stood over Graham and tried to prevent him from protecting himself. McArthur, Graham's second, remonstrated. Whistler struck at McArthur and McArthur ducked to avoid the blow. Rising quickly, McArthur dealt Whistler a stinger between the eyes, drawing blood, and then followed him up and pumelled him about the head until the referee stepped between the seconds.

Whistler resigned as second and Frazier's brother, John, took his place. Then the principals took their turn at fighting.

In the eighth round Graham sent Frazier in a heap to his corner with a heavy left-hander in the stomach.

For four rounds both men sparred to get wind.

The fifteenth round was an exciting one. The men got to close quarters, and each tried to knock the other out. Frazier was bleeding profusely, but Graham appeared not to have a scratch on him.

In the sixteenth round, after a successful feint, Graham knocked Frazier down with a smashing swinging blow on the right ear. Frazier was plucky, and got up, but Graham rushed him to his corner and pummelled him at his will. When time was called for the twentieth round Frazier's second threw up the sponge. The purse was awarded to Graham.

CORRIGAN APOLOGIZES,

And the Edict of Suspension Against Him is Rescinded.

CHICAGO, July 21.—The executive committee of the Washington Park Club met again last night at the Palmer House to take action on a telegram from Edward Corrigan in regard to his late unpleasantness between himself and the judges at the track last Thursday. The dispatch was in the nature of an apology for his conduct on that occasion, and was quite lengthy. The committee looked upon it as satisfactory, and by a unanimous vote rescinded the action taken last Monday night and restored the horseman to all the privileges of the track and those in the Turf Congress.

Mr. J. E. Brewster said the communication was most ample and all that could be expected. The committee had gained its point, and the whole affair was ended amicably.

There can be no doubt that the suspension of Corrigan from the Western tracks would have been a serious loss to him, as it has always been his custom to begin his season with Memphis and follow the circuit. His horses, as a rule, have been prepared for racing early enough in the spring to enable him to secure at least a fair share of the stakes and purses, and to have been compeled to wait for the commencement of racing on Eastern tracks would have kept him out of these emoluments, which, with his large and constantly growing string of horses, would have crippled him very seriously. Another consideration was the odium which would have attached to him on other race courses. These features undoubtedly impressed themselves on the Missouri horseman's mind, and, finding the committee obdurate, he accepted the inevitable and apologized.

BASE BALL.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Washington—Nationals, 9; Detroits, 6

New York—New Yorks, 6; Indianapolis, 2.

Boston—Chicagos, 7; Boston, 6.

Philadelphia—Philadelphias, 9; Pittsburghs, 2;

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

New York—Metropolitans, 10; Browns, 6

Philadelphia—Athletics, 6; Clevelands, 1.

Baltimore—Baltimores, 8; Cincinnatis, 5

Brooklyn—Brooklyns, 11; Louisvilles, 3

GAMES TO-DAY

St. Louis, at New York; Cincinnatis, at Baltimore; Louisvilles, at Brooklyn; Clevelands, at Philadelphia.

Chicagos, at Boston; Indianapolis, at New York; Detroits, at Washington.

Hastings, at Topeka; Lincolns, at Kansas City; Omahas, at St. Joseph.

Uncle Sam Takes a Hand.

CHICAGO, July 21.—The city authorities having failed to rid the harbor of the collection of bum-boats run by various persons, but principally by the notorious "Black Jack" Yattaw as floating saloons, disreputable dance houses and gambling dens near the government pier, the United States authorities Tuesday called in all the owners and fined them heavily for neglecting to display proper signal lights on their various crafts. This was the only way in which they could be reached. All agreed to abandon their calling and take away their boats except "Black Jack," who was obstinate. A United States revenue cutter was called down from Milwaukee, and yesterday confiscated Yattawa's notorious bum-boat and towed it into the river.

At the last moment Yattaw paid the two hundred dollar fine assessed against him, but was surprised to immediately receive notice of another of the same amount for failing to display lights last night after notification. This he also managed to pay, and the revenue cutter withdrew for further instructions.

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FOREIGN NEWS.

The Tory Surrender to the Liberal-Unionists Producing Unfavorable Comment.

Another Collision Between English War Vessels--Violent Scenes in the Bulgarian Sobranje.

A Sanguinary Prediction--Created a Sensation--The Afghanistan Boundary Question Settled.

England.

THE TORY SURRENDER.

LONDON, July 21.—Lord Salisbury's surrender to the Unionists on the question of revising and reducing the judicial rents in Ireland has caused a howl of indignation and rage among the rank and file of the Conservative party that augurs ill for the Tory representation in the House of Commons when next the electors are given an opportunity to dispense rewards for faithful service or resent injustice and betrayal at the hands of those to whom they confided their interests. Especially is the suggestion to compensate the Irish landlords at the expense of the English taxpayers inveighed against by the poorer classes in the country constituencies, and as nearly all of these now have votes, they will unquestionably avail themselves of the privilege of casting them to decree that the parliamentary career of the members who agreed to the humiliation of the Tory party for the sake of office and power, shall come to an end with the expiration of the present House. Everywhere one hears comparisons made between the Unionist amendments adopted by the government and the twenty per cent. reduction plan proposed by Mr. Parnell, which, at the time it was made, so horrified the Tories, and it is agreed on all sides that the Irish leader's proposal was of the two the more desirable, and altogether the fairer both to landlord and tenant.

Mr. Smith's attempt in the House last night to explain the relations between

THE TORIES AND THE UNIONISTS,

and to make it appear that the compact between them was not a Conservative surrender, was a lamentable exhibition, and only served to emphasize the pitiable plight of the government party. How long the transfusion of Unionist blood into the debilitated Tory Government will keep it alive is the question that now most naturally occurs, and which receives very few answers indicating confidence in its duration for any great length of time.

LITTLE BULGARIA

Is again threatened with chaos. The new ministry is debarred by fright from exercising its functions at the capital, and the army threatens to proclaim the principality a kingdom with Prince Alexander as the occupant of the throne. Doubtless Alexander would make a very respectable king, but his chief kingly quality—common sense—of which he has abundance, will forcibly militate against his setting foot in Bulgaria again, at least for some years to come. The attitude of France increases the suspicion that the French and Russian governments have combined their interests, and will pursue an identical European policy, and nothing is more certain than that the action threatened by the army of Bulgaria would be immediately followed by the appearance of an overwhelming force of Russian troops at Sofia.

Mr. Harry W. Lawson, the Gladstonian member for West St. Pancras, has

CREATED QUITE A BREEZE

by entering a vigorous protest against the action of certain Tory peers in sending their carriages to convey voters to the polls at the election in Hornsey Tuesday. Precisely why they should not have done so if they wanted to is not quite clear, but as it takes little to raise a political row here, the matter will probably be made the subject of angry discussion until something else turns up to engage the attention of the disputants.

THE NAVAL REVIEW AT SPITHEAD

has been the occasion of an unprecedented number of mishaps and the items for repairs to vessels disabled through the carelessness or incompetency of those in charge of them, will likely furnish ample material to the parliamentary economists when the matter can be properly discussed in the House. Thus far, no one has been seriously injured, but as there is constant danger of a recurrence of collisions, no one can say what may happen next.

ANOTHER COLLISION BETWEEN WAR SHIPS

LONDON, July 21.—A collision occurred yesterday at Portsmouth between the British war vessels Black Prince and Agincourt, in which the latter was damaged.

Bulgaria.

VIOLENT SCENES IN THE SOBRANJE.

PARIS, July 21.—A special dispatch from Vienna to *Le Temps* says the scenes which have occurred in the Bulgarian Sobranje during the last two days were of the most violent character. The body comprises only a remnant of its original number owing to the forcible expulsion of the members of the opposition, including M. Radoslavoff, the late Premier, who was subsequently arrested. In addition to these scenes of dissension and strife, the troops at Rustchuk have made a hostile demonstration against the election of Prince Ferdinand, and declared that he shall not be permitted to enter Bulgaria.

ARRESTED FOR TREASON.

BUCHAREST, July 21.—It is reported here, the news coming through Russian sources, that M. Radoslovoff late Prime Minister of Bulgaria, has been arrested for treason by the Bulgarian authorities.

AFRAID OF THE ARMY.

SOFIA, July 21.—The new Bulgarian ministry have not yet entered Sofia, or assumed their positions here. It is said they fear the opposition of the army, which intends to proclaim independence, and place Prince Alexander on the throne again as King.

France.

THE FRANCO-MEXICAN TREATY.

PARIS, July 21.—The Senate yesterday approved the Franco-Mexican treaty, which embraces all of the modifications demanded by Mexico.

THE SANGUINARY PREDICTION.

BUCHAREST, July 21.—M. De Coutouly, the French Minister to Roumania, speaking at a banquet given on July 14, in commemoration of the storming of the Bastile, said that the Republic of France was preparing for a sanguinary struggle, which the longer delayed would be the more formidable.

Belgium.

CREATED A SENSATION.

BRUSSELS, July 21.—General Vandersmissen, Lieutenant-General commandant at Brussels, created a sensation yesterday by a speech be made after a review of the army. He violently attacked parliament for their course in rejecting the clause in the Army bill relating to personal service. He also declared that the independence and honor of Belgium depended on an increase of the army.

Afghanistan.

THE BOUNDARY QUESTION SETTLED.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 21.—The Afghan boundry question was settled to-day by the joint British and Russian commission. By the terms of the settlement Russia receives the territory lying between the Kusk and the Murghab rivers, and accepts the English frontier line on the Oxus, renouncing her claims to districts to which she would have been entitled by the terms of the agreement made in 1883, which she then refused to accept.

M. Katkoff is improving in health.

Turkey.

FRANCE CAN NOT RECOGNIZE PRINCE FERDINAND.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 21.—The French Government has informed the Porte that it can not acknowledge Prince Ferdinand's election as Prince of Bulgaria, because it is informed that a number of Roumelians voted at his election.

A HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Two Men Literally Burned Up in the Destruction of a Turpentine Distillery.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 21.—A horrible accident, the result of carelessness, occurred Tuesday night at Hillard Goodwin's turpentine distillery in Lexington County. Thomas Griffin, the distiller, accompanied by a negro laborer went in the still house with a kerosene lamp and by careless handling overturned a barrel of spirits and set fire to its contents. The two men made desperate efforts to extinguish the burning fluid with sand from the floor, but the flames soon communicated with the hot spirits in the still when a terrific explosion ensued. Griffin and his companion were enveloped in a sheet of flame. In an incredibly short time the two men with the entire establishment were literally burned up in spite of Mr. Goodwin and several others, who were powerless to render assistance. When the fire had exhausted itself, not a vestige of the two men could be found.

Killed by Lightning—Minor Shocks.

YORKVILLE, S. C., July 21.—William Gardner, a well-to-do white farmer, was struck by lightning here yesterday afternoon and instantly killed. The same bolt struck Frances F. Ewell, a colored woman, inflicting injuries from which she is not expected to recover.

At Winsboro, about the same hour lightning entered the composing-room of the *News and Herald*. Wyatt M. Probst, a compositor, was working near a fireplace, was knocked down, stunned and had his left side paralyzed. Two other types were knocked down and stunned All, however, will recover.

The Town of Bessemer Almost Destroyed by Fire.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., July 21.—The *Dispatch* Tuscaloosa special says: The town of Bessemer was almost totally destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. A lighted candle ignited the window curtain in a boarding-house. The house being frame was soon wrapped in flames. The wind caused the flames to spread rapidly to adjacent buildings. Twelve of the handsomest structures in the city were entirely destroyed. There was no fire engine in town, and citizens who fought the flames so manfully suffered many severe burns. Several persons are missing, and it is supposed they perished in the flames; loss, unknown.

Should be Hinged Higher Than Haman.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 21.—David Doyle had a hearing yesterday on a charge of having feloniously assaulted Mrs. Susan McConnell at her home in the southwestern section of this city. The woman was confined to her room from dementia, caused by epilepsy, and Doyle entered it and locked the door after him. Mrs. McConnell was choked until her tongue protruded and her face was badly lacerated by blows inflicted by Doyle. Her testimony was positive, and Doyle was committed for trial without bail. He is a married man and a fellow workman with the husband of Mrs. McConnell. The assault is said to have been more brutal than any which has ever occurred in this city.

A Prominent Real Estate Agent Arrested for Embezzlement.

KANSAS CITY, Mo, July 21.—Henry N. Smith, Jr., a prominent real estate man, has been arrested on a State warrant, sworn out by ex-Alderman John McClintock, who charges him with embezzlement in a real estate transaction last October. Mr. McClintock alleges that Smith gave him a check for $1,000 upon a local bank, and upon investigation it was found that Smith had no money to his credit. Since then, it is claimed, he has failed to make it good, which resulted in his arrest, just as he was preparing to go to an Eastern summer resort. He was taken before Justice Maybury and his case set for Friday. He was released on bonds for $1,000.

Proposed Union of Newfoundland with the Dominion of Canada.

OTTAWA, Ont., July 21.—There is a diversity of opinion in the Dominion Cabinet as to the advisability of the government's sending Sir Alexander Campbell, Governor of Ontario, to Newfoundland to negotiate with that colony on her purposed entry into the Dominion and forming part of the union of the British North American provinces. The protest, it is understood, comes from the Minister of Finance, Sir Charles Tupper, who holds that the alliance, in view of the destitute and embarrassed state of the colony, would only throw an additional responsibility upon the almost depleted treasury of the Dominion. Sir Alexander Campbell's mission, evidently, will be productive of no good result. Owing to the dissension in the Cabinet a defeat of another of Sir John MacDonald's pet schemes for self-aggrandizement will undoubtedly follow.

Kansas City Liquor Dealers Go to the Wall.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 21.—Messrs. B. A. Feineman & Co., wholesale liquor dealers, Nos. 224 and 226 West Fifth street, have closed their establishment and posted a notice on the door, which stated that the firm had sold out to the National Bank of Kansas City. E. L. Hess and the Kansas City Distilling Company, who would take immediate charge of the property and conduct the business. The firm became somewhat embarrassed and turned their property over to these parties to protect their creditors. There were rumors on the street that their liabilities amounted to $75,000, but inquiry developed the fact that they will not exceed $17,000, and that this amount is about equally divided among the trustees. As soon as the affairs of the concern are adjusted the business will be sold to the highest bidder. The firm of Feineman & Co., was one of the oldest in Kansas City.

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OHIO DEMOCRACY.

The Skirmish for Votes on the Eve of the Great Battle.

Congressman Foran, the Friend of the Workingman, Practically Out of the Race.

Messrs. Powell and Campbell Striving Hard for First Place--Strong Anti-Administration Sentiment.

CLEVELAND, O., July 21.—The Foran boom has spent its force, and the struggle for the gubernatorial nomination is again confined to Powell and Campbell. Hard work in behalf of the Cleveland Congressman was done by his friends throughout the day, but their efforts among the country delegates were handicapped by the admitted work of Senator Payne's supporters for their candidate, and the usual sectional difficulties incident to the placing of the balance of the ticket. As a result they have dropped their claim that he could be carried to the head of the ticket on a wave of popular enthusiasm, although they still contend that they will control the balance of power. Between Powell and Campbell the struggle is waxing warm, and the adherents of the former are strenuously endeavoring to make it appear that the National Administration is involved in the fight.

Silken badges with the inscription in gold "For the Administration and Powell" were distributed by the hundred from the latter's headquarters yesterday afternoon, and all the talk was to the effect that the nomination of Campbell would be a slap at the President.

The Campbellites, however, say that this assumption is not only purely gratuitous but unfounded, and the Congressman himself, in conversation last night with the representative of the United Press, spoke his mind very freely:

"I have not always voted with the Administration," he said, "and if my opponents want to they can make the most of it. I am a Democrat, but not a servile one. I represent the people of my district and my own judgment, and when I am expected to blindly follow any administration I will hand in my resignation and cease to be a Congressman. On strictly party measures I am a Democrat, but upon non-partisan measures I propose to go on my own judgment. It is true that I expressed myself strongly opposed to the President's order regarding the return of the rebel flags, although I qualified it with an expression of opinion that his action was perfunctory rather than purely original. Subsequent events proved that I was right, but had they not I should have adhered to my opinion and expressed it for all it was worth. If my opponents think that a Democratic representative must blindly follow where a Democratic President leads, they are welcome. I am not that kind of a man."

It is difficult to estimate the strength of the opposing forces. None of the lieutenants are willing to count noses, or to tally off the delegations they claim in black and white. As a matter of fact two-thirds of the delegations are divided in their preferences while some of them are split into three. From the best sources of information up to a late hour the indications are that General Powell will all from fifty to a hundred short of a majority on the first ballot. All depends on the length of time he can hold his column unbroken. Campbell's supporters, especially the two hundred that came in yesterday morning from Southwestern and Northwestern Ohio, are solid stayers, while many of those who are counted in the Powell column were elected with Thurman instructions, and are free to follow the bent of their own inclination for second choice. Campbell, moreover, has long been regarded as Thurman's residuary legatee, and it is an interesting fact that while Allen W. Thurman has publicly proclaimed for Powell, Allen G. is said to be as warmly in favor of the Seventh district Congressman.

Efforts were made last night by wire to obtain an expression of his preference for Campbell, and the latter's friends are sanguine that it will be forthcoming. On the other hand, the indications are that unless General Powell can insure a majority on the first ballott Campbell will be the nominee.

Congressman Seney of the Seventh district, who will probably be the permanent chairman of the convention, is one of the most bitter opponents of Civil-Service reform in the State, and is expected to make a lengthy address upon that subject.

The committee on platform went into secret session at ten o'clock last night, with indications that their labors would be protracted.

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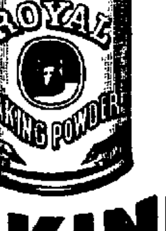

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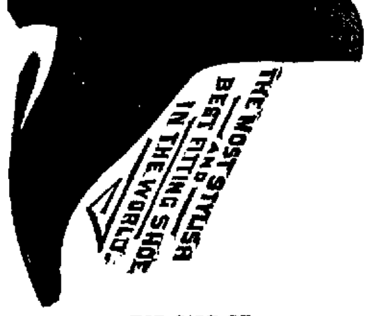

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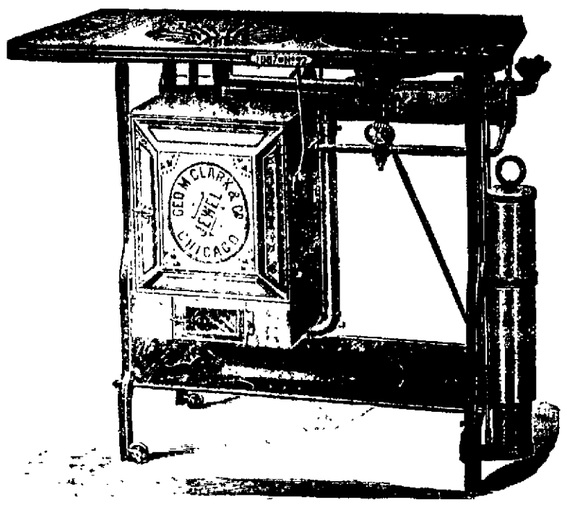

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JAMES DURFEE is at Lincoln helping Contractor Hunt do the bossing while paving the streets with brick.

FRANK M. WEBB has paid Fannie Knabb $1750 for the residence property, lot 2, block 2, Wessels' addition to Decatur.

THE best refrigerators in the city, and the prize Jewell oil stove, at Lytle & Eckels' store.

THE members of the First Methodist Sabbath school, about 500 in number, left to-day for Pastime Grove, near Kenney, on a picnic excursion. They went over on a special train and got away at about 9 o'clock.

THE ladies will find choice confections and cakes at J. Lytle & Co.'s bakery and grocery.

THE infant child of Mrs. Alice Nichols died Wednesday afternoon at the family home on South Webster street. The body was sent to Sullivan to-day for burial.

THERE were two rains last night—one between 11 and 12, and the other between 2 and 3. The last one was a soaker.

RELIABLY pure flour, a fine assortment of vegetables, butter, eggs and breakfast bacon at Hanks & Patterson's grocery store.

THE larceny case against George Dennis and Perry Davis, charged with stealing Henry Mueller's watch, was to have been tried before Justice Stevens this morning. It was continued by agreement to 8 a. m. to-morrow.

SAMUEL SCHIMM is charged with forging J. E. Gourley's note to a check for $150 and presenting it at the Decatur National Bank for payment. Suspicion was aroused. Schimm was arrested and now he will have to answer at the next term of court. Bail was fixed at $500.

TRADE at Knode & Osborne's grocery store, 121 North Water street. There you will find anything you want for the table.

"MILK SHAKE" at Irwin's drug store.

THIS morning Boynton & Williamson received from Harry Durfee at Lincoln, Neb., a photo-lithograph picture of the Lincoln ball club of 14 members. The club is in the western league and stands up near the head. The picture will be put in a handsome frame.

STOP at A. Kramer's carriage and wagon factory and buy a new rig almost at your own figure.

"MILK SHAKE" at Irwin's drug store.

THE second annual reunion of the 126th Regiment will be held at Sullivan, Ill., September 7th and 8th, 1887. Don't fail to report in person. Railroad fare at reduced rates. W. G. Cochran, recording secretary, Lovington.

GIVE Niedermeyer a share of your patronage. His grocery store is on the Mound.

You can get good groceries and sweet butter at Smith & Son's store, 733 North Water street.

BUY a sack of the celebrated White Foam flour and you will buy more.

DELANEY & FOSTER have removed their grocery store to the new building at 247 South Park street, where they have added a fine new stock, and have fixed up second to no grocery house in town. Their splendid new store is a model of neatness, and they will no doubt do a largely increased business from the new stand. Give them a call and you will be well served at the lowest prices. j21-d1w.

News from Forsyth.

The Fairview Sabbath school picnicked on last Thursday, at the pleasant home of Mr. Daniel Weigle.. The dinner was spread in the spacious halls of the barn, and was elegant in every respect. Ice cream was furnished bountifully and was pronounced elegant. The swings, hammock, seats &c, were arranged in the grove just South of the house. The day was very pleasantly spent. Mr. and Mrs. W. did all in their power to make every one have a good time, and we may safely say they succeeded.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barber and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benton and son spent Sunday in our village.

The Good Templar lodge held a pleasant session last evening—a good programme and one initiation. Still they come.

The ladies of this vicinity will hold a festival at the hall one week from to-morrow—July 28th. The proceeds are to be used in refitting the village church, and we hope to see all our friends and acquaintances present. Ice cream and lemonade will be sold, and delicious cake "thrown in." The committee in charge hope to have a good orchestra present, so come and hear the music.

H. C. Mowry is again at home after a three weeks sojourn in Rhode Island.

Dr. Drury and wife called on Sunday.

Miss Prather, of Ludlow, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. White. She will leave this morning for Champaign, to attend the teachers' institute in that place.

Miss Millie Hanks attended Sunday school on last Sunday.

A Victim.

Bert W. Donaldson, telegraph operator, well known in Decatur, and son of a former postmaster at Cerro Gordo, was dangerously hurt in the recent accident on the Grand Trunk Railway in Canada. He had one arm cut off and was badly bruised. Bert had been in Decatur three days before the accident, on his way from Natchez, Miss., to New York.

MRS. WAYNE, aged 72 years, mother of the Wayne brothers of this city and Mrs. O. N. Bramble, died at Gridley, Kansas, this morning. W. J. Wayne will leave Gridley for Decatur with the body this afternoon. The interment will take place at Greenwood.

A Splendid Rain.

This locality was favored with a good rain last night from 11 to 12 o'clock, and along about three o'clock this morning it came down in torrents for awhile, soaking the parched earth and making mud in the streets. Reports this morning state the rain extended many miles southward in the direction of Centralia, Evansville and Litchfield. The damp blessing will make millions of bushels of corn that would have been lost to the farmers.

Going to Chicago.

W. W. Foster is making arrangements to move with his family to Chicago, where he has his eye on a business enterprise that will soon earn him an independent fortune.

JUSTICE CURTIS after hearing the testimony which is unfit for publication, fined Jack Faunce $10 and costs for bruising Fan Sechrist over the left eye. Faunce then had Fan Sechrist and Nell Stephens arrested for making an assault on him. They carried beer glasses in their dresses and tried to "do up" Faunce in one round. The testimony showed that four or five women and the same number of men were down at the river bathing together, and that they had a big keg of beer near by under a tree. They imbibed freely and a fight was the natural outcome of the novel picnic. The Sechrist woman was fined $3. Later the whole party of nine were arrested for lewd conduct. Faunce Sechrist and Stevens were fined $2 each. Faunce and Stephens went to jail.

Base Ball.

The base ball club left for Champaign at noon with Ed. Heilman and Fred Mueller in charge. Our boys want Smith to pitch so they can get a crack at him. Turner wants to smash him for a home run.

On Saturday morning the club will leave Champaign for Peoria for two games, and will return home on Monday forenoon. They ought to win all of the four games. Will they do it?

Quite a number of people are about town to-day getting ready to go to Champaign on the special train to-morrow. It will be a private party of 75 or 100 who will engage in a picnic after the game.

Games next week in Decatur—Champaign Clippers, Monday and Tuesday; Chicago Whitings Friday and Saturday.

JUSTICE EYMAN since yesterday has been hearing the testimony in a civil suit, in which a number of people from Niantic and Monticello are interested.

W. E. MANN is hard at work at Alton, Ill., and will be successful in his effort to organize a Young Men's Christian Association. Officers of the society have been chosen, and now Mr. Mann is engaged in securing pledges to keep the association alive.

THE local agent for the White Star Line, Charles M. Allison, received a telegram yesterday stating that the Adriatic arrived safely at Queenstown on the 14th, making the trip in 8 days 2 hours and 30 minutes. D. W. Brenneman, of Decatur, L. M. Taylor, of Monticello, and E. W. Powell, of Greencastle, Ind., were on board, and bought tickets of Mr. Allison.

HARVEY DOWNING has received a handsome present from his friend Leslie Evans at San Jose, Cal. It is a cut-glass car containing specimens of California oranges and lemons, and is a handsome bar ornament. The expressage was prepaid.

A WABASH brakeman named Foster was fatally hurt near Bement this morning. He had lost sleep and sat down on the end of a tie. He fell asleep and a train struck him on the head fracturing his skull. On his arrival in Decatur he was attended by Dr. Harsha. He was taken to the hospital at Springfield.

W. F. CARVER, the celebrated rifle shot, at Trenton, N. J., this week broke his previous record of breaking 1,000 glass balls in 45½ minutes. He accomplished the feat in 41½ minutes.

ARTHUR E., the infant son of Edward Whitmer, was buried at Jacksonville last evening. Mrs. H. M. Whitmer, of this city, was at the funeral of her son's child.

FOUR people were shot during the Wild West performance of Sells Brothers' circus Tuesday night at Clinton, Iowa. George Harrington, aged 17, was shot in the forehead and will die. Mrs. W. A. Lambertson was shot in the left breast, just above the heart dangerously. Wallace Phillips, aged 16, was shot in the top of the head. He is not very seriously wounded. One of the Indians was shot; how badly he is hurt is not known. He was immediately taken away. No cause is given for using bullets except that a cowboy got the wrong revolver. It was done during the encounter of the cowboys and Indians in the ring.

TO RENT—A good boarding house of 20 rooms at 914 East Eldorado street—if taken this week the boarders will remain. Inquire of Mrs. H. C. Conklin, 756 North Main, or on the premises.—j21-d6.

WHETHER from swampy land or stagnant pool, or from the deadly gasses of city sewers, malarial poisons are the same. Ayer's Ague Cure, taken according to directions, is a warranted specific for malarial disorders.

"MILK SHAKE" at Irwin's drug store.

DON'T forget that Smith & Son make a specialty of the Nickey country butter.

BODILY health and vigor may be maintained as easily in the heat of summer, as in the winter months, if the blood is purified and vitalized with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Every person who has used this remedy has been greatly benefitted. Take it this month.

TELEPHONE D. A. Maffit for ice in any quantity. Telephone 100. apr12-dtf

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Bad Fires at Blue Mound.

A fire which started from a freight train passing Blue Mound last Sunday morning burned up four acres of wheat in shock belonging to Peter Pierson; also 28 rods of fence and three or four acres of pasture for James Seiberling. The fire started a half-mile south of town and a strong wind from that direction drove the flames rapidly toward the village and for a time threatened its destruction, but 50 or more men were soon on the spot fighting the fire fiend and in about a half hour succeeded in choking him off. The fire was stopped in the middle of a stubble field within 200 yards of Newbegin & Co.'s corn cribs.

Samuel Betz, Esq., while reading a letter in front of Uhrich's drug store last evening suddenly fell to the floor from palpitation of the heart. His friends were greatly alarmed and thought for a time that he was dead, but he soon revived sufficiently to sit up and in the course of an hour was able to be taken home where at last accounts he was resting comfortably.

Tuesday the passenger train going north at 10:30 a. m. started another fire just in the edge of town, and a stiff breeze from the north sent the bounding flames rapidly toward the stock yards and Millhon Bros.' hay press, and for a time the greatest excitement prevailed. In three minutes after the alarm was sounded Capt. "Chet" Holliday had his fire company out and the cart and hose were run to the hydrant at the north end of Main street, opposite Bradley & House's hardware store, and got into position to throw water on the hay barn, and in the meantime a hundred men with bushes, brooms, boards, &c., had run ahead and grappled with the hissing demon and in less time than it takes to tell it knocked his red eyes out and once more saved the town from destruction.

At a special election held Tuesday Geo. W. Drysdall was elected village clerk by a majority of 7 votes over his opponent—William Nicholls, and the question of appropriating $1,000 for extending water mains was defeated by 22 majority. The license men claim this as a victory over the temperance party.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Hunt, a son.

Dr. Harsha was called to Cerro Gordo to-day on professional business.

Mrs. Joseph Emerson, of Monticello, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Martin, Sr.

Mrs. Anna Armstrong and daughter, of Cass county, are in the city on a visit.

John Steigers, who has been in the hospital at Springfield, is home on a visit.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kretzer, at Harristown, July 21, a son—10 pounds.

Miss Minnie Parker left for Tuscola today to attend the funeral of a friend's child.

Bob Muzzy left yesterday for the north to join the band with Sells Brothers' circus.

Mrs. Pard Noble and daughter have gone to Ohio to visit relatives. They will be absent about five weeks.

Millard F. Pasley, whose wife died last night, is dangerously ill with typhoid fever.

John A. Swearingen and F. H. Hall went to Champaign this noon to see the ball game.

Capt. Frank Wells and Ben. Shockley were in Springfield this week on military business.

Misses Mildred and Gertrude Bell, of Washington City, are guests of Mrs. L. L. Haworth.

Charley Shroll has got through harvesting oats and is now reading law in the office of Attorney Buckingham.

J. A. Close, whose home is in a charming place on the Pacific coast, will arrive at his old home in Decatur on a visit next week.

Charley Tyler, who is in the drug business at the corner of Wabash Avenue and 14th street, Chicago, is in the city on a visit to relatives. He is doing well.

Mrs. Smiley and daughter, Mrs. A. S. Morgan, arrived home last night from Kansas City, where they attended the funeral of Charles Smiley. Mrs. S. is now confined to her home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ullrich and children go to Omaha, Neb., next week, where they will locate permanently. Pete has grown up in Decatur and is known to be one of our most energetic and successful business men. May good fortune always attend him.

THE real estate firm of Butman & Waggoner now have their office in Room 4 over Rembsamen's grocery store in the James Millikin block.

WILLIAM CARROLL was fined $25 and costs this morning for selling liquor on Sunday.

POTATOES are a luxury. They are now selling at $1.25 a bushel. This time last year they could be had at 25 and 40 cents a bushel.

THE members of the Macedonia Baptist church will give a sociable Wednesday, July 27th, for the benefit of the church. Come one, come all. Ten cents admission; children under ten years, 5 cents. 19-td

A Saloon Man's Opinion.

MR. EDITOR:—I, W. H. Carroll, a saloon keeper, have been prosecuted continually—not only prosecuted, but persecuted, and I don't propose to stand it any longer, as there are other men in the business who are equally as guilty as I and right around where I keep my saloon. Furthermore, look up town, where it is done at a land office rate, and not a word said, and if they see a drunken man on the streets the first question that is asked is, Where did you get your whisky? Of course some saloon man or bar tender will say, "At Carroll's, of course." Throw all the blame to Carroll in order to screen themselves of their guilt. Don't look over a mountain and see a molehill, for it looks bad. All I want is fair play, but of course arrest Carroll and fine him, then that is supposed to be a warning to the others. I pay the fine all right. The others go, just the same; not a word said, as I said before. Carroll is the money man for those who are doubly guilty of the offenses that are preferred against me, and if anybody has any doubt in regard to it, let them put me on the witness stand and see, and to conclude this statement I am ready to act, as I am getting tired of being played horse with; so if I have it to do I will do it, and it won't take me long. I will finish by saying, treat all violators alike; don't use any partiality. Look after the Great Moguls as well as the little fish. Look out for next door saloons; also everybody in same block; let none escape, for I won't.

Yours,
W. H. CARROLL,
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TALK ABOUT GAS.

Wrestling with Water and Sand at the Big Well.

The Stare Brothers are not having the best of luck in their search for natural gas. They have the best of machinery, all the necessary appliances and experienced men to conduct the boring, but they have to fight water and quicksand. The iron casing driven down into the well had to be taken out to give place to a larger pipe, and to-day the pump is busy throwing out the water and sand. The operatives expected to have all this trouble. They will overcome it, and move along more rapidly when they strike rock on which to rest the iron casing. The well is now nearly 500 feet deep.

2,000 FEET AT JACKSONVILLE.

The Jacksonville *Courier* says of their gas well: "The gas well is down now about 1,940 feet deep, and still proceeding toward China. The drill is now working through a strata of soft sand-stone, and the water rises up over the casing. It is perfectly free from any brackish taste, and all that it is necessary now is sufficient force to make it rise and give it the name of artesian well, and the workmen are of the opinion that the object of their search is only a few feet deeper. The weight of the drill is 2,200 pounds, but works very slow on account of the enormous pressure at the bottom."

A STARTLING PREDICTION.

Two hundred years ago, in China, says the *Cincinnati Commercial Gazette* there was just such a craze about natural gas as we have in this country to-day Gas wells were sunk with as much vim and vigor as the Celestials were capable of; but owing to a gas explosion that killed several millions of people and tore up and destroyed a large district of country, leaving a large inland sea, known on the maps as Lake Foo Chang, the boring of any more gas wells was then and there prohibitited by law. It seems, according to the Chinese history, that many large and heavy-pressure gas wells were struck, and in some districts wells were sunk quite near each other. Gas was lighted as soon as struck, as is done in this country. It is stated that one well with its unusual pressure, by induction or back draught, pulled down into the earth the burning gas of a smaller well, resulting in a dreadful explosion of a large district, destroying the inhabitants thereof. Lake Foo Chang rests on this district. The same catastrophe is imminent in this country unless the laws restrict further developments in boring so many wells. Should a simlar explosion occur there will be such an upheaval as will dwarf the most terrible earthquakes ever known. The country along the gas belt from Toledo through Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky will be ripped up to the depth 1,200 to 1,500 feet and flopped over like a pancake, leaving a chasm through which the waters of Lake Erie will come hollowing down, filling the Ohio and Mississippi valleys, and blotting them out forever.

FRAUDS are going about the country collecting $10 royalty on drive wells, a late decision of the supreme court having decided valid the patent. This decision, of course, only applies to wells put in before January 24, 1885, as the patent expired with this date.

THE remains of the 7-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hays, were brought to Decatur to-day from St. Louis for burial.

THE hay crop in this county is only from one-third to one-half of a yield. Hay is now worth from $8.50 to $9.00 a ton. One man last week, who was compelled to have a load for his horses, had to pay $12 for a ton.—*Clinton Public.*

THE Dewitt county Agricultural Association has enlarged its fair grounds to thirty-five acres by the purchase of fifteen additional acres. In addition the association will expend not less than $2,000 in putting up the grounds, the erection of new buildings, etc.

DIED.

Near Macon on July 20, of typhoid fever, Mrs. Ida F., wife of Millard Pasley, aged 23 years. The funeral took place this afternoon.

We have taken the agency for Central Illinois for the "CALIGRAPH," the best writing machine on the market. *Business men* interested will do well to examine its merits. We carry a stock of the machines ready to deliver at a moment's notice. Also all *supplies, ribbons, etc.*, for the Caligraph and Remington. OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

THE Pianos and Organs sold by Prescott, have been for many years in the market, and always found as represented. Examine his stock before placing your orders and you will be sure to buy.

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WHITE VESTS for barkeepers, at B. Stine's dtf

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Estate of R. Liddle, Deceased.

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L. BURROWS, Adm'r.

June 23-d&wtd

The Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Commission Merchant:

WHEAT—69½ July; 70¼ Aug; 72¾ Sept; 74¼ Oct.

CORN—37¼ July; 37¾ Aug; 38¼ Sept; 38½ Oct.

OATS—26⅜ July; 25¾ Aug; 26¼ Sept; 27 Oct.

PORK—$17.00 July; $17.00 Aug; $17.00 Sept.

LARD—$6.62 July; $6.55 Aug; $6.65 Sept.

RIBS—$7.72 July; $7.72 Aug; $8.82 Sept.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 20,000; prospects 10c lower.

Cattle, 11,000; prospects lower.

Car Lots—Wheat: Winter 62; Spring 2; Corn, 99; Oats, 110.

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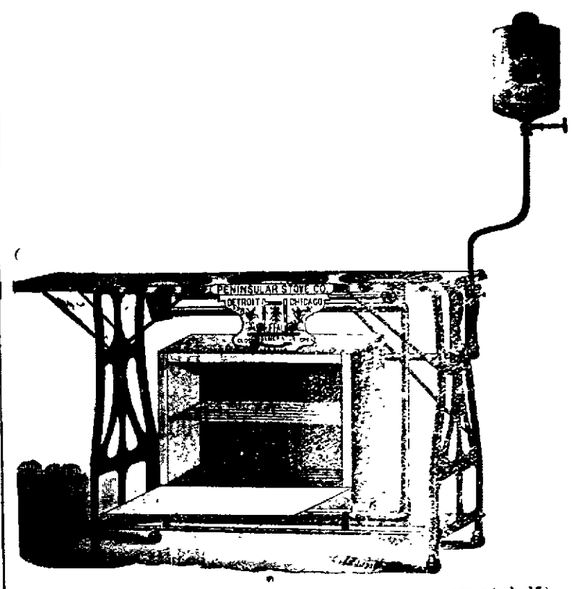

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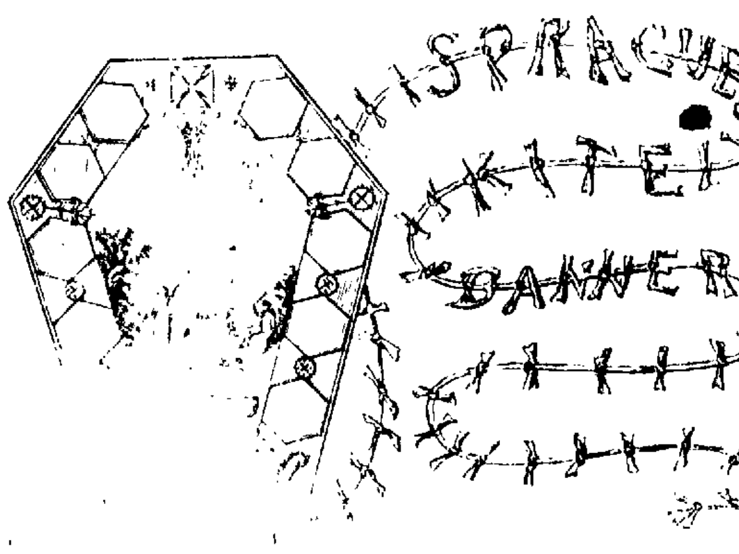

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DECATUR ILLINOIS.

A PARTING SUGGESTION.

"I'm going away to be gone some time
Abroad; but I'd rather much stay;
If travel I must, in my own native clime
I much prefer traveling to-day.

"Mamma now thinks I am looking ill,
And need most a change of air.
Absurd! I never felt better—still,
I may like the climate there.

"I really dislike to leave behind
My friends—you know our set,
A pleasanter you could not find—
Not one will I forget.

"We'll go to Germany and France,
To Italy and Spain;
Perhaps, who knows?" with mournful glance,
"We may not meet again."

"Oh yes, we will," he said, "Too bad
You're going, for we'd such
A pleasant time; it seems so sad—
We'll miss you very much."

"You mustn't miss me—try not to—
For that would give me pain;
But hope that when my journey's through,
We'll surely meet again."

"I can't help missing you," said he,
"But give to me the right
To guard you. None, I'll guarantee,
Will miss you from that night."

—*Boston Budget.*

LIFE IN A STUDIO.

Fashion's Victim in the Person of a Photographer.

Two Heads on One Plate—A Pair Who Were "Up to the Fashion"—A Bonney Bride Depicts Her Courtship.

"Beautiful picture, isn't it?" said a South side photographer as he proudly exhibited the portrait of a fine-looking couple standing together in an attitude which displayed two striking profiles to the best advantage. "'That's what we call the 'double profile,' and it's all the rage just now, especially for husbands and wives. Mr. and Mrs. George M. Pullman set the fashion. They were photographed like that a short time ago, and since then ever so many couples have been taken in the same way. No, it isn't always so successful as this. Not every one can afford to call attention to his profile. You see, there are really very few people who possess even respectable noses. But, bless your soul, that doesn't make any difference. Profile photographs are the fashion, and so they must be had, even by snub-nosed folk.

"All sorts of couples come here to be taken in that position; you'd hardly believe me if I were to describe them to you. Some have too much nose and some too little; some have a superfluity of chin and others not enough; some have bulgy heads, and lots are not the right height. Oh, yes, height has a great deal to do with it. You see, in these pictures the figure on the inside, which, of course, should be the man, must be a little taller, or at any rate not the least bit shorter, than the outside figure. He mustn't be much taller, because then her side-face is outlined against his neck, which is any thing but pretty; he may be the same height, but if he is any shorter of course it is fatal. You'd think any one could see that at a glance, wouldn't you? Yet the other day a bride and bridegroom came in here and were much struck by that picture you have in your hand. They decided, or at least she did, that they must have a 'double profile.' Well the bride, who was an angular and flat young woman, measured at least three inches more than her husband, so I gently suggested to her that I feared the effect of being taken in that position would hardly be good, as his blonde and beautiful mustache would be hidden behind her fichu, or whatever the fluffy business was she had around her neck. 'Wa'al,' she said, 'it's kind of awkward. I guess he'll hev to stand on the outside.' And, if you'll believe it, they actually were taken like that. None of my very strong hints had the slightest effect. I can show you the picture. I don't keep it out because I'm not proud of it.

"Yes, the double profile is quite popular with young ladies, but I don't like to take them that way because there's always trouble about which sides of their faces shall appear. One generally wants her left side-face in the picture, and the other is quite sure that the right side of her head is the best looking, and I have no end of bother making things smooth and persuading one of them that both sides of her face are equally handsome. That, by the way, is very seldom the case, though. Nearly every one is better looking on one side than on the other, and there's always a difference between the right and left profiles. Sometimes the hair grows more prettily on one side of the forehead than on the other, sometimes the mouth is slightly turned upward on one side and not on the other, and to a photographer's eye the nose is never quite the same on both sides. A woman nearly always knows which of her profiles is the most attractive and takes care to present the prettier one whenever she can. Of course women use hand-glasses so much for trying on bonnets and arranging their coiffures, and so on, that they become very familiar with their own faces and know as much about their weak points as they do about their strong ones.

"That's why, nine times out of ten, it's easier to photograph a woman than a man. She knows just what she wants, but he hasn't any idea and whiffles about till you're nearly distracted. First he thinks he'll have a side face and then changes to a full face, and, after all, 'guesses he'd prefer a three-quarters.' That's because he really isn't familiar either with his defects or his advantages. Men never are, unless they shave themselves, and not many do. Now, with women it's very different, as I said. A lady told me the other day that she had once induced her husband to exchange a right-hand box at the theater for a left-hand one, because she wouldn't for the world sit with the left side of her face toward the audience, and I know lots of others who are just as particular as that.

"Tell you of some more favorite positions? Oh, there are all sorts of curious ones. All the old, conventional postures have quite gone out. The leading idea now among some people is to have a picture which looks like no one else's, and the consequence is that they are taken in all sorts of extraordinary poses, the more odd the better, they seem to think. Here is one young woman squatted down on a rug in what I should think was an extremely uncomfortable position, but she didn't seem to find it so, and insisted on having it perpetuated. She said she 'always sat like that when in a reverie.' There is quite a fad just now for what are called 'natural positions.' One day last week two ladies drove down here in very elaborate costumes and brought a little table and cups and saucers, and so on. I photographed them just as if they were sitting in their own drawing room at afternoon tea. It made quite a pretty picture.

"If you'll wait a minute I'll get you the proofs of a very original set of pictures. Here they are. Look like a lot of scenes from a play, don't they? They belong to a Michigan lady. She came to me not long ago and made an appointment for herself and her husband for the next morning. She said I had better reserve at least three hours, as she wanted a complete set of pictures taken and she would have to change her dress several times. They arrived the next day with a Saratoga trunk and a valise, and had them brought up to the dressing-rooms. It turned out that they were a bride and groom, and that she had been struck with the idea of having a series of pictures taken commemorating each important event in their courtship. The submissive groom himself didn't seem to think the idea a particularly brilliant one, but he evidently had to give in. She managed the whole thing. 'First,' she said, 'we'll have our introduction,' and she made him put on a light tweed summer suit, and arrayed herself in a pink gauzy affair and a sun hat—it seemed they had first met at a picnic—and these were the identical clothes worn on the occasion. She remembered exactly how they had stood when presented to each other, and had the little scene reproduced as nearly as possible. Then they changed to evening dress and were taken as they appeared when waltzing together for the first time. No. 3 is the boating picture. I don't know exactly what it commemorates, but suppose some especially tender passage. Then she wanted to have the proposal scene, but he objected to that, and so vigorously that I at once suspected him of having resorted to his knees on that occasion. They had quite a tiff over it, but finally compromised on 'the sonata'; the piano was wheeled in, and in my opinion, that makes the prettiest picture of all. Here is 'at the altar.' That's the last of the present series, but I believe they intend coming to town every year, on the anniversary of their wedding day, for the purpose of adding a new one to the collection."—*Chicago News.*

It Is Well to Remember,

That he is rich whose income is more than his expenses.

That idleness, loquacity and flippant jesting are always to be avoided.

That faith, peace and purity of heart are three things most desirable to pray for.

That there is nothing so sweet as duty done; and nothing more bitter than duty undone.

That there is a good deal of religion like a morning cloud; as soon as the sun gets hot it disappears.

That by spending all your time in studying your own affairs you will have no time in studying those of your neighbors.

That there is no such thing as luck, but there is such a thing as hard work and knowing how to make it answer for what others call luck.—*Good Housekeeping.*

A Faithful Pedestrian.

Brown is a stay-at-home man, but has read a great deal and is an exceedingly entertaining conversationalist. He was at a church social the other evening and was entertaining some of the young ladies of the congregation when one of them remarked:

"You seem to know something about nearly every place, Mr. Brown. You must have traveled a great deal."

Brown's spirits seemed to fall. He paused a moment and then replied:

"Yes, I have. I'm the father of an eighteen-months-old baby that never sleeps except in the day time. I can truthfully say," he went on thoughtfully, "that I have traveled a great deal. A very great deal. I'm a pedestrian, I am."

And he heaved a sigh and left the company.—*Merchant Traveler.*

—A German doctor is having good success with consumptive patients by inducing them to sleep in the open air of the Thuringian forests, well wrapped up and sleeping in light hammocks—simply the fresh air cure.—*Foote's Health Monthly.*

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Sixty-two sheep huddled together under one tree in Oshtemo, Mich., during a recent storm were killed by lightning.

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On Sundays the Wabash will sell tickets from Decatur to St. Louis and return at one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning, good returning as late as Monday evening. Fare $3.55 for round trip. ju14-dtf

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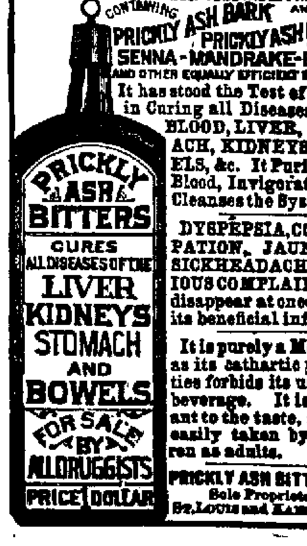

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Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

In Circuit Court of Macon County. In Chancery. To June Term, A. D. 1887. Edward L. Pegram vs. Wm. C. Davis et al. Foreclosure.

Public notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance of a decree entered at the June term, A. D. 1887, by the said court, in the above entitled cause, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Macon county, Illinois, will, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, on

SATURDAY, the 30th Day of July, A. D. 1887,

at the west door of the court house in said Macon county, sell, at public vendue, to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Macon, state of Illinois, to wit:

The northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-six (26); also the south half of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-three (23), and that part of the west half of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-three (23), lying south and west of the Sangamon river; also the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter, and the south half of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter, and the south half of the south half of the southeast quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty-two (22)—all in township sixteen (16) north, range one (1) east of the 3d P. M.

Terms of Sale. Cash, subject to redemption. Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 5th day of July, A. D. 1887.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery of Macon county, Ill.
Ready & Caton, Complainant's Solicitors.
July6-d3w

Master's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

Macon County Circuit Court.

Charles P. Housum et al vs. John Trainer et al. No. 12,847.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court, at the June Term, A. D. 1887, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Wednesday, the 3d day of August, A. D. 1887,

at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door (Water street entrance) of the court house in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit: Lot Six (6) in Block Two (2) of H. Robinson's addition to the Town now City of Decatur, Illinois, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, July 13th, 1887.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon County, Illinois.
Johns & Randolph, Solicitors.
July 13-d3w

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of two executions to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of H. F. May and S. D. May, partners as H. F. May & Bro., and one in favor of Peter Ullrich, and both against Jacob Constant et al, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Fifty-six (56) feet off of the north side of Block No. Seven (7) in Kaufman's Addition to the City of Decatur, Illinois, taken as property of the said Jacob Constant, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1887, at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said executions.

This 15th day of July, A. D. 1887.

J. H. MAUZY,
Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.
July15-d3w

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Richard Liddle, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Richard Liddle, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, on the 1st Monday in Sept. next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 20th day of July, 1887.

L. BURROWS,
July 20-d3w Administrator.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Angelina Misenhelder, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Angelina Misenhelder, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 20th day of July, 1887.

L. BURROWS,
July20-d3w Administrator.

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SEALED BIDS.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the improvement of East Wood street, from the east line of South Broadway street to the east line of Webster street, by grading, graveling, guttering and paving with brick, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council June 8th, 1887, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk in Decatur, Ill., from the date hereof until 4 o'clock p. m. of the 23rd day of July, 1887, for the labor, and for the materials of said improvement, and for the entire improvement, including labor and materials. All bids, when received, will be submitted to the city council for its action. The assessments for the paving of the above named street are to be paid by installments as provided by the recent act of the legislature.

F. C. BETZER, City Clerk.
Decatur, Ill, June 23, 1887.—dtd

SEALED BIDS.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the improvement of Webster street, from the south line of East Wood St. south to the city limits, by grading, graveling, guttering and paving, with brick, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council June 8th, 1887, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk in Decatur, Ill., from the date hereof, until 4 o'clock p. m. of the 23rd day of July, 1887, for the labor, and for the materials of said improvement, and for the entire improvement, including labor and materials. All bids, when received, will be submitted to the city council for its action. The assessments for the paving of the above named street are to be paid by installments as provided by the recent act of the legislature.

F. C. BETZER, City Clerk.
Decatur, Ill., June 23, 1887 - dtd

Notice.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that he will apply at the regular meeting of the city council to be held August 1, 1887, for a license to retail intoxicating liquors in a building situated at No. 1202 E. Eldorado and Jasper streets, being lot 11, block 4, Rolling Mill Addition, said building being owned by the undersigned.

July8-d2w* TIMOTHY CONDON.

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John A. Brown,
ATTORNEY AT LAW
And Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill
Office over Linn & Scruggs' dry goods store
Entrance from court house stairway.

Master in Chancery's Sale of Valuable Residence Property

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
COUNTY OF MACON. }

In Circuit Court of Macon County. In Chancery. To June Term, A. D. 1887. No. 1,80[illegible]

Mary P. Murphey et al vs. John Behymer et al. In Partition.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree entered at the June term, A. D. 1887, by the said court, in the above entitled cause, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery of said Macon county, Illinois, will, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon on

THURSDAY, the 21st Day of July, A. D. 1887,

at the Water street entrance leading to the Circuit Court Room, in said Macon county, sell, at public vendue, to the highest and best bidder, provided a bid is received equal to the two thirds valuation of said premises, the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Macon, state of Illinois, to wit:

All of lot one (1) and lot two (2) except seven (7) feet in width off of the south side thereof, all in block two (2) of James Carter's addition to the city of Decatur, and also commencing at the northwest corner of said lot one (1), thence north to the south line of said South addition to the city of Decatur, Ills., thence east along the south line of said South addition to the west line of South Main street, thence south along the west line of South Main street to the north line of James Carter's addition to Decatur, Ill., thence west along the north line of said James Carter's addition to Decatur, to the place of beginning.

Terms of Sale. One-fourth cash in hand and balance in three equal payments, due respectively in 6, 12, 18 and 24 months from date of sale, with 6 per cent interest on said deferred payments, the purchaser to give mortgage on the premises sold to secure said notes, and personal security also, to be approved by court. Said sale will be without redemption, and a deed will be made to the purchaser on approval of sale by court.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 28th day of June, A. D. 1887.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery of Macon county, Ill
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June29-d3w

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